

## Message Text

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TAGS: CASC CI (GARRETT, BENNETT CHARLES )  
SUBJ: W/W: PROTECTION OF US VESSEL AND WELFARE OF BENNETT CHARLES  
GARRETT

RF: STATE 94923 AND PREVIOUS

1. WE HAVE NOT INFORMED TIMOTHY OLDFATHER OF THE THEFT OF  
GARRETT YACHT "GOOD SHIP GRACE" SINCE GARRETT WAS INFORMED  
BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE TO US ON APRIL 23.

2. THERE IS QUESTION AS TO WHETHER OLDFATHER IS A MAJOR  
INVESTOR OF YACHT. AS WE UNDERSTAND IT, GARRETT IS FULL  
OWNER OF YACHT BUT RECEIVED A PERSONAL LOAN OF \$150,000  
FROM OLDFATHER, ALSO OLDFATHER HAS INVESTED \$12,000 IN  
"JOINT VENTURE" OF YACHT IN FINANCING TRIP OF YACHT WITH  
PAYING PASSENGERS. THIS JOINT VENTURE GIVES HIM NO  
INTEREST IN OWNERSHIP.

3. QUESTION OF OWNERSHIP IS FURTHER COMPLICATED. WE  
RECEIVED TELEPHONE CALL APRIL 25 FROM CAL LEE OF ASSOCIATED  
SALES AND SON WHO SOLD YACHT TO GARRETT. LEE STATED THAT  
OWNERSHIP OF YACHT NOW REVERTS TO HIS COMPANY BECAUSE  
GARRETT HAS DEFAULTED ON PAYMENT. TELEPHONE OF LEE IN  
LOS ANGELES 714/979-4842.

4. WHETHER YACHT WAS STOLEN, BROKE ANCHOR AND TAKEN OUT  
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OF HARBOR DURING BAD WEATHER, OR INTENTIONALLY TAKEN  
OUT OF CHILEAN WATERS TO AVOID PAYMENT OF COSTS  
MENTIONED IN SANTIAGO 3331 IS STILL UNKNOWN.

5. IF DEPT. DESIRES TO NOTIFY TIMOTHY OLDFATHER, HE  
MAY BE CONTACTED THROUGH PARENTS, ROUTE 5, LAWRENCE,  
KANSAS 66044. TELEPHONE UNKNOWN.

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